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## DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Cecil H. Low, Georges, 80,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Gardner W. Tarr, Georges, 15,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. John L. Nicholson, Grand Bank, 170,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Senator, Quero Bank, 4000 lbs. cod, 12,000 lbs. halibut.  
Sch. James S. Steele, via Boston, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Mary P. Mosquito, via Boston.  
Sch. Manomet, Maine Coast, 70,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Sadie M. Nunan, shore, 45,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Edward A. Rich, shore, 28,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sch. James Drinan, shore, 12,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sch. Grace Darling, shore, 12,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sch. Almeida, shore, 20,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sch. Braganza, shore, 20,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Rebecca Bartlett, shore, 10,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sch. J. E. Garland, shore, 20,000 lbs. pollock.  
Sloop Viola, shore, 8000 lbs. pollock.  
Torchers, 250 bbls. fresh herring.  
Sch. J. E. Garland, shore.  
Sch. Annie and Jennie, shore.  
Sch. Motor, shore.  
Sch. Lillian, shore.

### Today's Fish Market.

Board of Trade prices for salt and fresh fish:

Salt fish, handline Georges cod, \$4.90 per cwt. for large, \$4.00 for medium; trawl Georges cod, \$4.25 for large, \$3.25 for medium; trawl Bank cod, \$4.00 for large, \$3.50 for medium; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.25; haddock, \$1.75; large cusk, \$2.50.

Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.15; medium cod, \$1.75; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$2.15, medium \$1.75; cusk, \$1.50; Eastern haddock, \$1; Western haddock, \$1.15; hake, 90 cts.; Eastern hake, 90 cts.; Western hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 70c; snap per codfish, 60 cts.; snapper cusk, 40 cts.

Rips cod, \$4.37 1-2 for large and \$3.40 for

Outside sales salt Georges cod, \$5.00 per cwt. for large and \$4.00 for mediums; medium.

Salt mackerel, \$18 per bbl.

Outside sales round pollock, 85 cts. per cwt.

Outside sales of salt bank cod, \$4.37 1-2 per cwt. for large and \$3.87 1-2 for medium.

Fresh torched herring for bait, \$2.50 to \$3 per bbl.

Flitched halibut, 8 cts. per lb.

Fresh halibut, 8 cents per pound.

Round pollock, 90 cts. per cwt.

### Boston.

Sch. Marshall L. Adams, 30,000 haddock, 2500 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 10,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 15,000 hake.

Sch. Frances Whalen, 17,000 haddock, 18,000 cod, 15,000 hake.

Sch. Galatea, 300 haddock, 600 cod, 20,000 pollock.

Sch. Mary F. Silva, 15,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 3000 hake, 500 pollock.

Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, 100 haddock, 200 cod, 6000 hake, 200 pollock.

Sch. Laura Enos, 600 cod, 400 hake, 1000

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pollock.

Sch. Flirt, 10,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 15,000 hake, 2000 cusk, 1000 pollock.

Sch. Moanum, 1000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 9000 hake, 3500 pollock.

Sch. Catherine D. Enos, 5000 haddock, 600 cod.

Haddock, \$3; large cod, \$3 to \$3.50; market cod, \$2.25 to \$2.50; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, \$1.

### Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Bohemia will sail from Canso on Monday.

Sch. Robin Hood has fitted and sailed on a Newfoundland salt herring trip.

Sch. Annie M. Parker has been ordered home from the Cape Shore to fit for a Newfoundland salt herring trip.

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## FINE SEASON'S WORK.

**Capt. Joseph V. Cusick Stocked  
\$17,000 Salt Banking.**

**Independence II's Maiden Trip  
Produced Stock of \$8678.23.**

Sch. Independence II, Capt. Joseph V. Cusick, stocked \$8678.23 as the result of her maiden trip, weighting off 206,000 pounds of salt cod. Capt. Cusick will now fit the vessel for a Newfoundland salt herring trip.

Capt. Cusick has made a big season's work salt fishing, rolling up the fine stock of \$17,000. He had made three trips to the banks this season, two in sch. Helen G. Wells, previous to this one in the new Independence II, being the only skipper to make three bank trips this year. This good work is in keeping with his reputation as one of the most hustling and fishy skippers sailing from this port.

## HAD HEAVY GALE.

**Four Salt Bankers Were at Louis-  
burg Monday.**

**Three Parted Their Cable in  
Saturday's Storm.**

Schs. Mabel D. Hines and Harry A. Nickerson of this port, and Elizabeth N., of Bucksport, arrived at Louisburg, C. B., on Monday. The captains of these vessels report Saturday night's gale as being very severe. All three of these vessels parted their cables and were obliged to make sail. They report the weather as very unfavorable for fishing on the banks and fish are very scarce.

Sch. Orpheus, arrived there Friday night from the fishing grounds off Scaterie. Capt. Spinney reports fish scarce and the weather bad for the prosecution of the work.

## Saw Mackerel on Georges.

Capt. Thomas Somers of sch. Tamar, which arrived at Boston yesterday from Georges with a fare of fresh fish, reports seeing several schools of mackerel on that ground recently.

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## Saw Mackerel Seine Adrift.

Capt. Hickey of sch. S. S. Richards, which arrived at North Sydney, reports that on Sunday night, when about six miles off Georgetown Harbor he passed a large seine. The seine was rolled up in a large ball, as if it had been upset from a dory without being set. As the weather was very stormy the seine could not be secured.

From this it would seem that one of our late Cape Shore seiners has lost her seine.

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### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Preceptor, Western Bank, 65,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Mildred V. Nunan, via Boston.  
Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, shore.  
Sch. Appomattox, shore.  
Sch. Gladys and Sabra, shore.  
Sch. George Willard, shore.  
Sch. Ida M. Silva, via Boston.  
Sch. Mary Silveria, via Boston.

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Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.15; medium cod, \$1.75; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$2.15, medium \$1.75; cusk, \$1.50; Eastern haddock, \$1; Western haddock, \$1.15; hake, 90 cts.; Eastern hake, 90 cts.; Western hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 70c; snap per codfish, 60 cts.; snapper cusk, 40 cts.

Rips cod, \$4.37 1-2 for large and \$3.40 for Outside sales salt Georges cod, \$5.00 per cwt. for large and \$4.00 for mediums; medium.

Salt mackerel, \$18 per bbl.

Outside sales of salt bank cod, \$4.00 per cwt. for large and \$4.00 for medium.

Fresh torched herring for bait, \$2.50 to \$3 per bbl.

Flitched halibut, 8 cts. per lb.

Fresh halibut, 8 cents per pound.

Outside sales salt bank dory handline cod, \$4.75 per cwt. for large and \$4.25 for medium.

Outside sales fresh hake, \$1.00.

Round pollock, 85 cts. per cwt.

### Boston.

Sch. Evelyn L. Smith, 1500 haddock, 600 cod, 8000 hake, 300 pollock.

Sch. Oliver F. Hutchins, 5500 cod, 50,000 hake.

Sch. Robert and Arthur, 35,000 haddock.

Sch. Myst-ry, 12,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Mary T. Fallon, 14,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 8000 hake.

Sch. Mary Cabral, 3000 haddock, 500 cod, 500 pollock.

Sch. Walter Goulard, 20,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 1000 hake, 2000 cusk, 2000 pollock.

Sch. Kernwood, 2500 haddock, 1700 cod, 10,000 hake, 500 pollock.

Sch. Harmony, 11,000 haddock, 5500 cod, 16,000 hake, 500 pollock.

Sch. Livonia, 5000 pollock.

Sloop Leah C., 8000 pollock.

Haddock, \$2.50; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$2; pollock \$1; hake, 70 to 80 cts.; mackerel, 22 cts.

### Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. A. E. Whyland was at Canso, N. S., on Tuesday.

Sch. Ralph F. Hodgdon arrived at Boston yesterday from Newfoundland with 1000 barrels of split herring. The fish go about 450 to 500 count.

### Mackerel Notes.

Three hundred mackerel were landed at Portsmouth Monday.



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## LOBSTER SHIPMENTS HEAVY.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 21.—While the lobster catch on the Maine coast thus far in 1904 is less than for the corresponding period of 1903, shipments from Rockland, one of the largest fishing ports, continue heavy. The weekly shipments to the large cities aggregate about 30 tons. The season of big catches is now on, and the total for the year may equal that of 1903.

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## WEEKLY FISH MARKET.

Trade still remains quiet for this season of the year. Prices rule high and there is no sign of weakening. Salt bank cod are in light receipt and prices ex-vessel for this kind of fish are the highest since 1891. The market on all kinds of fish, both salt and fresh is very firm and all fares arriving are quickly handled.

The receipts at this port for the week ending Oct. 22 are

704,000 lbs. salt cod.  
51,000 lbs. fresh cod.  
195,000 lbs. hake.  
80,000 lbs. cusk.  
10 bbls. salt mackerel.  
35,000 lbs. halibut.  
15,000 lbs. haddock.  
644,000 lbs. pollock.  
60,000 flitched halibut.

### Salt Fish from Vessel.

	Board of Trade Prices	Outside Sales
Large Georges cod (handline)	4.90	5.00
Medium Georges cod (handline)	4.00	4.00
Large Georges cod (trawl)	4.25	4.25
Medium Georges cod (trawl)	3.25	3.25
Large handline cod from deck caught east of Cape Sable		
Medium do.		
Large trawl bank cod	4.00	4.60
Medium trawl bank cod	3.50	4.00
Large dory handline cod		
Medium do.		

### Fresh Fish from Vessel.

All large cod caught on La Have bank and to the westward	2.15	2.85
Medium do.	1.75	2.00
All large cod caught to the eastward of La Have Bank	2.15	2.45
Medium do.	1.75	2.00
Cusk	1.50	2.00
Eastern Haddock	1.00	1.20
Western Haddock	1.15	1.15
Eastern Hake	.90	1.00
Western hake,	.95	1.00
Pollock	.70	.70

### Other Prices from Vessel.

Hake sounds, 6 1-2 cts. per lb.  
Livers, soft 30 cts. per bucket; hard, 30 cts. per bucket.  
Fresh Bank halibut (white) 10 cts. per lb.  
Fresh Bank halibut (gray) 7 cts. per lb.  
Georges halibut, 10 cts and 7 cts. per lb. for white and gray.  
Rips cod, \$4.38 per cwt. for large; \$3.40 for medium.  
Salt mackerel, \$18 per bbl.  
Round pollock, \$.85 per cwt.  
Large shore herring, \$3 per bbl.  
Flitched halibut 7 3-4 cts. per lb.  
Dory handline salt bank cod, \$4.75 per cwt. for large, \$4.25 for mediums.

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## Local Quotations of Cured Fish.

Cured Large Georges cod	\$7.50 per qtl.
Cured Medium Georges cod	5.75
Cured large Bank cod	5.50
Cured Medium Bank cod	5.00
Kench cured large Bank cod	6.25
Kench cured medium Bank cod	6.00
Cured large shore cod	6.00
Cured medium shore cod	5.50
Cured cusk	4.75
Cured hake	2.12 1-2
Cured haddock	3.50
Heavy salted pollock	2.75
English cured pollock	4.00
Large handline bank	5.62 1-2
Medium handline bank	5.37 1-2

### Mackerel.

Shore 1s	\$17 to \$19 per bbl.
Shore extra 1s	19 to 21 per bbl.
Shore bloaters	22 per bbl.
Nova Scotias	14 per bbl.
Prince Edward Island	15 per bbl.
Norway bloaters	34 per bbl.
Norway 1s	27 per bbl.
Norway 2s	23 per bbl.
Old Irish	13 per bbl.
New Irish	14 to 15 per bbl.

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Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, via Boston, 45,000 lbs. fresh fish.

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Outside sales fresh hake, \$1.00.  
Round pollock, 85 cts. per cwt.

### Boston.

No arrivals today.

### Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Gladstone arrived at Provincetown on Tuesday with 800 quintals of salt fish.

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## AFTER FISHERMEN.

### Big White Whale Continues His Pranks Along Shore.

#### Cast Threatening Glances at Beverly Boats.

The monster white whale that has been despoiling in the harbor of late badly frightened two Beverly fishermen. Spouting and thrashing the water with his big tale, he gave them a lively chase.

On Friday, Capt. John Haskell of Beverly was out fishing when the whale came up near him. The whale spouted and acted ugly, so that Capt. Haskell, experienced as he is, began to glance shoreward and figure on the distance to the beach.

The whale began to hit up his speed, and Capt. Haskell began to bend to the oar. Hoping to stop the fish, Capt. Haskell threw one of his extra oars overboard, and then bent down again. He did not watch to see whether the fish swallowed the timber or not, but pulled hard for the shallow water, and was soon out of danger.

Alderman Fred W. Trow of Beverly Farms also had an experience with the monster which he does not care to repeat. He was out fishing off Pride's Crossing when the whale suddenly appeared, headed directly for the tender boat. The ex-alderman concluded that discretion was the better part of valor, and began to hit up a fast stroke toward the beach. He also escaped the fish by running into shallow water, the whale being unable to follow him in.

### Cutting Up a Whale.

When a fish, as the whalers will forever call a whale, is taken, the ship gets alongside, and the creature is fixed head and tail in a curious and ancient fashion, so that by slacking or tightening the ropes each part of the vast body can be brought uppermost. A whole boat may be seen inside the giant mouth, the men hacking with axes to slice away the ten foot screens of bone, while others, with sharp spades, upon the back are cutting off the deep great coat of fat in which kindly nature has wrapped up this most overgrown of her children. In a few hours all is stowed away in the tanks, and a red islet, with white projecting bones, lies alongside and sinks like a stone when the ropes are loosed.

Some years ago a man, still lingering on the back, had the misfortune to have his foot caught between the creature's ribs at the instant when the tackles were undone. Some eons hence those two skeletons, the one hanging by the foot from the other, may grace the museum of a subtropical Greenland or astonish the students of the Spitzbergen Institute of Anatomy-Exchange.

### Seiners Having Bad Weather.

A letter from one of the late Cape Shore seining fleet states that the weather has been very bad and that there is hardly a day when the vessels can go out from North Sydney and stay out long enough to get a chance to look for fish before it breezes up and gets rough and they have to run in again.